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New Owner for Crossfield Paper

Starting with the issue of December
5th, 1947, Mr. Roy Barnaby of Calgary
Alberta will take over as proprietor,
editor and manager of the Crossfield
Chronicle from R. Newsum and N. K.
Leatherdale who bought the paper and
publishing rights from W. H. Miller in
1946.

For nearly two years the former own-
ers have carried on the paper with as-
sistent acting in Crossfield. The support
given has been good and we wish at
this time to express our thanks to all
the merchants and businessmen for
that support.

Mr. Barnaby, a young veteran comes
to the newspaper field, not a stranger
but one who has had considerable ex-
perience in the advertising field and has
worked extensively in newspaper ven-
tures in Eastern Canada. Mr. Barnaby
is at present living in Calgary but
hopes to make his home in our midst
just as soon as conditions warrant.

We feel he has the ambition and per-
sonality to make proper contacts and
will give you every advantage that a
weekly paper can offer.

For the present time Mr. Barnaby
will set up an office in the hotel until
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The printing of the publication, will
be done at Olds until such time as Mr.
Barnaby feels he can establish a plant
in the town.

Capable as a salesman of printing
Mr. Barnaby asks your full co-operation
in the matter of news and job printing
and feels he can give you an A1 weekly
newspaper in Crossfield.

All accounts receivable up until Nov-
ember 30th, 1947 will be made payable
to R. Newsum and N. K. Leatherdale
and any accounts contracted after that
time will be the property of the new
owner.

The Annual Meeting of the ratepay-
ers of the School Districts within Sub-
division No. 1 of the Calgary School
Division, will be held in the Airdrie
School on Thursday December 11th at
2:00 p.m. At this meeting, prior to a
check, that afternoon, nomination
will be received for the office of di-
visional trustee. This matter is of great
importance to this district and some
action should be taken to see that we
have a candidate for this office, and
enough ratepayers attend the meeting
to see that your nominee has a chance
of being elected.

THE CATTLE EYER

Why is it when the market's ris-
ing

There is no one so exulting
As the man with urban manner
(Who, underneath, a skilful plan-
ner)

Who knows all weather, roads and
haunts

And talks of houses, crops and
flowers.

Events casually to pass your way
When you've decided selling day?

But, let the market take a drop
Why is it he's so hard to stop

And how it happens, that just then
He's the buck of men.

Who, though compelled to pass
your way

Can't even for a minute stay
And disappears from the haunts
of men

Till the market's on the rise again?

CANADIAN MINISTER CONVERSES WITH SMUTS



Hon. James A. Mackenzie, Canada's Minister of Trade and Com-
merce, is shown conversing with Prime Minister Jan Christian Smuts
of South Africa, during his visit to the union as head of the touring
Canadian mission. In addition to Hon. Mr. Mackenzie, the eleven-man
mission left recently for a scheduled visit to the Mediterranean area.
Dr. Seager Wheeler (right) receives Presentation from Prof. J. G. Rayner.

LOCAL NEWS

BOUNT to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Laun
on November 18th a daughter, in the
Crossfield Hospital.

Crossfield United Church services for
Sunday next, Madden at 11 a.m. and
Crossfield Sunday School at 11 a.m.
and Oldtimers service at 7:30 p.m.

Happy McMillan is back home and
still tries to get over his big smile, al-
though at present he is handicapped
with a plaster.

Miss Millie Curry of Champion and
Mrs. A. Curry of Barons visited in town
over last week-end and were the guests
of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mumby.

Miss Barbara Miller of Acme is in
training in the Local Alberta Govern-
ment Telephone exchange for the po-
sition of operator.

Don't forget the Annual Bazaar of
the Women's Guild of the Anglican
Church being held in the Co-op Hall
on Saturday next, November 29th.

The chicken of the past few days has
made everyone feel a little better, more
especially the stockmen as they are
now getting another graze from the
cover crop.

The Elevators Agents in Crossfield
announce that their premises will close
on Saturday afternoon at 5:00 p.m. from
November 26th 1947 until August 1st
1948.

At the Teachers Convention held in
Calgary last week, Mr. H. Mumby was
elected President of the Calgary Rural
Teachers Association and Mrs. V. Bro-
ugh was appointed as secretary-treas-
urer.

The Annual Old Timers church ser-
vice will be held in the United Church
on Sunday next at 7:30 p.m. All mem-
bers of the association will endeavor to
attend and an invitation to the gen-
eral public is also extended.

The Crossfield Fish and Game As-
sociation will sponsor a turkey shoot at
Crossfield on Wednesday, December 3rd,
starting at 10 a.m. and ending at 4 p.m.
There will be trap shooting and a range for 22 rifle
and they have lots of prize turkeys
for prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Harnack and Mr.
A. A. Harnack returned on Sunday last
after spending three weeks at Canby,
Oregon. Whilst there they attended the
funeral of their father, Charles Harnack,
who passed away on November 2nd
after a lengthy illness. Mr. Harnack
senior was well known in the past
district having made many visits to
his sons, the last of which was in
1943.

The Crossfield Branch of the Cana-
dian Legion are sponsors of a Whist
Drive to be held in the Masonic Hall on
Thursday December 4th at 8:30 p.m.
The Legion sponsored activities are be-
ing held with the idea of raising funds
to be used towards the erection of a
Memorial Hall, in conjunction with the
proposed community hall and for that
reason deserve your patronage. Every-
one will be welcome and ladies are
asked to please provide.

Plan New Hall For Crossfield

A surprisingly large crowd attended
the meeting Monday night to discuss
the question of a Community Hall. In
fact the United Church parlor was fil-
led to its capacity. Mrs. Wilma Charney
occupied the chair and opened the
meeting by calling for an expression
of opinion as to the need for a hall.
It was the unanimously agreed that
the need was great and this seemed to
be an opportune time to start. Con-
siderable discussion then took place as to
the ways and means of raising an am-
ount large enough to build a worth-
while community center. A noteworthy
feature of the meeting was the large
number of those that had something
to contribute toward the discussion. It
mostly happens that one or two mon-
opolize the meeting and do all the talk-
ing, whereas this meeting was an ex-
ception to the rule. A small committee
was named to look into all the various
angles that had been discussed and to
report to the next meeting as to what
they consider the best way to operate.
The members of the Young Adult
Group served a lunch to wind up the
evening. The next meeting will be held
in the Co-op Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 8th
commencing at 8:00 p.m. to hear this
report and to establish committees to
carry it out. It is hoped that an even
larger number will attend at that time
and lunch will again be served at the
close of the meeting.

A wedding of interest to Madden dis-
trict was solemnized in the Nazarene
Church, Innisfail, on Thursday, Novem-
ber 20th, when Vira P. daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Fred Schmidt of Markerville
became the bride of Ralph Edward
The son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pike
of Madden, Alberta.

Rev. J. B. Armstrong, pastor of the
Nazarene Church, Innisfail, assisted by
Rev. D. George MacDonald of Red
Deer, performed the ceremony.

During the service Mrs. J. V. Hend-
erson played the wedding march and
Mrs. Sylvia Saunders sang, "I Love You
Truly" during the signing of the regis-
ter.

The wedding breakfast was held at
the home of Mrs. Vera Thompson.
Mr. and Mrs. Pike will reside at their
home in the Markerville district.

Hard wheat is grown mainly in
the fertile soils of the prairie grass
regions. It is of high quality be-
cause of soil fertility. Among the
chemical elements representing this
fertility are calcium, phosphorus,
nitrogen, potassium and some eight
or more other elements that by
their domination or scarcity, control
the chemical composition of the
feeds and feeds thereby the
food quality in nourishing us.

Soft wheat is grown on less fer-
tile soils where the forests were
cleared away. It is mainly starchy
and provides energy values.
Food quality differs as the soil
fertility differs, not only because
different crops are produced as
the soil fertility differs but also
because the same crop will be dif-
ferent in its chemical properties
and its food values.

BIG YEAR FOR SEED GROWERS

The Alberta Seed Growers' Co-
operative Limited had a successful
business year in 1946-47. At the
annual meeting held in Edmonton,
Edward P. Wright, the president,
said that business done, totalled
over \$24 million, an increase of
more than \$600,000 over the pre-
vious year's total.

The Alberta Seed Growers' Co-
operative is doing a useful work
and is expanding its plant and is
deserving of the patronage of
Alberta seed growers.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

Sunday November 30th
No Service
Mr. Mumby at Old-Timers Service in
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Britain Builds Ships

ONE OF THE GRIMMEST FEATURES of the recent war was the Battle of the Atlantic. The high rate at which ships carrying vitally needed cargoes from this continent to Britain were destroyed constituted one of the major difficulties in defeating the enemy, and represented staggering losses in men, ships and supplies. In wartime these sinkings were extremely serious, and they have continued to affect the shipping situation ever since because of the critical shortage of ships which resulted from such extensive losses. Ever since the end of the war, efforts have been made to build merchant and passenger ships in sufficient numbers to meet the great post-war demand for shipping space, but many are still needed to fulfill present requirements.

Large Program Is Undertaken

In this connection, the British Ministry of Information has recently given out some details of the ship-building program in that country. The United Kingdom is possessed of a fine tradition for the craft of building ships, and every big ship-building yard there is now carrying out an extensive construction program to replace wartime losses. Ships under construction or on order at the present time are estimated to amount to more than 3,000,000 gross tons, while there are another 3,500,000 tons under repair or being converted for other uses than those for which they were originally built. In spite of the severe shortages of labor and materials with which the builders must contend, Britain is reported to be now building more ships than all other countries put together and is endeavoring to fill not only her own needs, but to supply other countries.

To Fill Many Outside Orders

Since the end of the war, overseas countries have ordered 323 ships, valued at \$360,000,000 with United Kingdom shipbuilders. These do not include large orders from other parts of the British Commonwealth. More ships are being built, however, for British shipping companies than for those of any other country, and these companies will receive more than one-third of the present world construction. Britain is, in the words of the article published by the Ministry of Information "making valiant efforts to restore the service on the seven seas which won such prestige before the war." It is clear that the building up of her merchant and passenger fleets is a most important factor in post-war recovery, and United Kingdom shipbuilders are to be commended for the splendid effort which they are making at this time.

Peppermint Now Grown On B.C. Farm

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.—Oil extract from peppermint, enough to supply Canadian requirements, may soon be produced in this Fraser Valley district.

An experimental nine-acre field of peppermint, only one in the province, is being grown on the model farm operated by George Reifel.

Roots of the plants were imported from Oregon two years ago, and oil is being extracted by a distillation process in a small pilot plant. Harvest now is in progress.

The mint patch must be kept entirely free of weeds. It is cut like hay, the stems and leaves being allowed to cure before being put through the still. The oil brings \$7 a pound, and is used chiefly by gum manufacturers.

The name of Portland, Ore., was decided by flipping a coin.

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FUNNY And OTHERWISE

Said the cowboy: "My partner and I are taking a trip through the desert next week. He's taking along a gallon of whisky, for rattlesnake bites."

"And what are you taking?"
"Two rattlesnakes."

"What would a lion suggest for a man who's a little hoarse?"
"How about a little cat?"

"I'm going to give you a good wallop for tying a kettle to the cat's tail," snapped Michael's father.

"It wasn't our cat," replied the boy.

"No," roared the father, "but it was our kettle."

When Jones' little girl was born, she set her heart's a-flutter. They named her Okeanograpton. For they hadn't any but her.

"Is it true that it cost \$100 to have your family tree looked up?"
"Well, not exactly. I paid \$5 to have it looked up and \$95 to have it hushed up."

"Son, why don't you play circus? It's great fun. First you make a sawdust pile."

"But where would I get the sawdust, dad?"
"Here's the saw. Just cut some of the dressed lumber to replace lengths. And you can have all the sawdust you make."

"Did you get that cigar from a friend?"
"I don't know yet."

Stout Lady (to little boy):
"Will you tell me if I can go through this gate to the park?"
Boy: "I guess so. A load of hay just made it."

Teacher: Jimmy, what's a Greek?
Jimmy: That depends on what he does.

Rookie: "I never rode a horse before."

Stable Sgt.: "Well, here's just the animal for you—he's never been ridden, so you two can start off together."

"Were you nervous?" asked young Mrs. Hobson, when you begged daddy to give his consent?"
"He gave me the fright of my life," grumbled Hobson.

She is still wondering what he meant.

Teacher: "Tommy, how many make a few?"
Tommy: "Three or four."

"How many make a dozen?"
"Twelve."

"How many make a million?"
"Very few."

Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. This fine medicine is very effective for this purpose!

For over 70 years thousands of girls and women have reported "dragged out"—at such times? Then try Lydia E. Pinkham's

Railway From Vancouver To Alaska Planned

Project Calls For 1,000 Miles Of New Road To Fairbanks

WASHINGTON.—Plans for construction of a railroad from Vancouver to Fairbanks, Alaska, are under consideration by a group of private investors.

Marshall Ramsey Diggs, Washington counsel for the group, said his clients had been studying the project for several years and he hoped to be able to announce definite plans, along with the names of the backers, within 30 days.

Diggs said the idea calls for taking over 345 miles of railroad now owned by British Columbia and building another 1,000 miles into Fairbanks, where the proposed road would connect with the Alaska railroad.

Diggs predicted that either his group or some other "will start this railroad within three or four years."

"The present plans contemplate that the railroad will be constructed by private capital. We hope that after we reach Alaska our government will aid in the construction but we have received no commitments from it though government officials have shown great interest."

"We are anxious that a railroad be built to the territory for we believe that is the only way it ever will be opened up."

"And, in view of the present Russian situation, we should have such a connection with the territory."

"The railroad will open up vast resources, and in Canada that country exceedingly rich in natural resources such as coal, timber and pulp woods."

CHRISTMAS TURKEY FOR BRITONS

LONDON.—Food Minister Strachey informed the House of Commons that nearly 9,000 tons of turkeys will be imported in time for the traditional Christmas dinner of roast turkey.

More than 4,000 tons will come from South America, 2,400 tons from Ireland, 1,500 tons from Hungary and more than 1,000 tons from Australia.

Reporter Gets Even With Girl At Dinner

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—All was even today between a newspaper reporter and a girl who fluffed powder in his soup.

Tom Simmons said that he was tired of women using cosmetics at restaurant tables. So he came prepared for revenge.

While at dinner a girl at the next table "brazenly powdered her face," he said. "Some of the powder floated into my soup."

Simmons asked the waiter for a "bowl of hot water."

The next moment Simmons pulled out a tube of shaving cream and a razor and started shaving.

"If the girls can make up their faces in restaurants," Simmons said, "I can shave at the table, too."

New Product To Destroy Poultry Lice

Soon to appear on the market is a new product manufactured to destroy poultry lice by a completely and radically new method.

Wilson's Root Paint by name, it will reach the poultry raiser in the form of a paint which will be applied by brush to the chicken roost. When the chickens roost, vapors from the root paint will rise through the feathers of the chickens and kill poultry lice.

This new approach to the problem of getting rid of poultry lice will be welcomed by poultrymen as it does away with the old and slow necessity of dusting each individual chicken with louse powder.

This is a new line for the firm who make Wilson's Fly Pad—used in Western Canada by thousands of farmers with great success.

SAYS BURNED TOAST CAUSE OF MANY ACCIDENTS

TAMPA.—Burnt toast at breakfast, says a safety group official, may cause many an automobile accident.

"You would be surprised," said Asher Frank, director of the Florida Safety Council, "to learn of the number of accidents caused by bad cooking such as eggs being burned, coffee not good, bacon not crisp, and burnt toast."

"We have found men who had accidents due to these causes, for instead of having their minds on driving they were thinking of the poor breakfast they had."

QUITE INNOCENT

LONDON.—Police were summoned to investigate a suspicious looking package addressed to Lord Woolton, Conservative party organizer. It contained a silver rose bowl.



FRANCE'S GIFT TO PRINCESS

Dinner service of famed Sevres porcelain is to be the gift of France to Princess Elizabeth. There are 144 pieces to the set which is decorated with a delicately stylized tricolor in gold interspersed with the royal "E" and a lavender blue background. Expert is shown applying transfer to plate.

Prairie Briefs

CARDSTON, Alta.—Mayor William Cooper has given the town of Cardston a modern street lighting unit as a gift. Council followed up the gift by deciding to purchase three additional units.

REGINA, Sask.—A recent poll by the Saskatchewan division of the Canadian Red Cross society reveals that less than 20 per cent. of the province's school children believed they could pass an elementary swimming test by the society.

NANTON, Alta.—Seventy-five pure bred Hereford cattle sold for \$36,000 at a sale held on the ranch of W. A. Crawford-Frost. He has been raising Herefords for more than 25 years.

LETHBRIDGE, Alta.—The Lethbridge Co-operative Packers is seeking the old prisoner-of-war camp in North Lethbridge as the site for a new packing plant.

Nobel Peace Prize Award For 1947

OSLO.—The Nobel Peace Prize for 1947 has been awarded to the London Service Council and the Philadelphia Service Committee of the Society of Friends (Quakers), the Nobel committee announced.

The Society of Friends was among five institutions which had been named as candidates for the award.

Pope Pius and Mohandas K. Gandhi, the Hindu leader, were among the persons nominated for consideration.

INCREASE GLARE

Dirty windshields increase the glare from headlights on approaching automobiles at night. Specks of dirt scatter the light rays, causing fog effect.

MAY ISSUE ONLY \$25.00 U.S. FUNDS WITHOUT PERMIT

OTTAWA.—The amount of United States funds Canadian banks may issue to Canadians needing American dollars without the filling out of a special Foreign Exchange Control Board form has been reduced from \$100 to \$25 but a board official said that no change of policy was involved.

Describing the change as purely technical, he said it was made to give the board a better opportunity to scrutinize the amounts of American funds being made available in small amounts in the face of the dwindling American dollar position of Canada.

No change has been made in the maximum amount of \$500 which banks may issue to Canadians in American funds without a direct reference to the Foreign Exchange Control Board, but in all cases over \$25 a form must be filled out.

In cases where a Canadian requires more than \$500 in American funds for any purpose, he must make his application to the Foreign Exchange Control Board.

To Feel Right — Eat Right

DOG LEADS FIRE FIGHTERS TO INJURED DOG

BAR HARBOR, Me.—A little dog hobbling along on burned feet attracted the attention of several forest fire relief workers recently and led them to a burned patch of woods where a big dog lay unconscious.

The Animal Refuge League, which is picking up all stray dogs and cats, is taking care of both burned animals.

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Game Increasing

South Alberta Still A Wild Life Paradise--A Lure To Sportsmen

South Alberta has always been a wild life paradise. During early frontier days, the buffalo furnished food for nomadic Indian tribes of whom the greatest hunters were the Bloods, the Peigans, the Stonies, and the Sarces.

However, hunters and traders' repeating rifles liquidated the buffalo in the '70s and '80s. But South Alberta is still a colorful spot for outdoor sportsmen, offering in its mountains, its foothills and plains, nearly everything that is to be found in the way of wild animals, migratory fowl and game birds.

This summer, for instance, within 75 miles of Lethbridge a grizzly bear was killed invading a foothills ranch. Two cougars were shot, one near Magrath and the other at Mountain View. Last winter herds of elk, which came from the Flathead country of British Columbia and from the Waterton-Glacier International Peace Park, almost ate foothills ranchers' herds out of house and home. Now there's a movement on foot to set apart a buffer strip between parks and ranches so that sportsmen can keep elk herds within bounds. Mule deer have been increasing in population in the foothills, and half a dozen may often be seen among the cattle on the ranches.

After the hard winter of 1906-07 the antelope, a native of Alberta, almost disappeared. It was estimated at the time that not more than 250 head remained roaming the range between the Bow and Missouri rivers on both sides of the international border. Representations by J. M. Hughes of Nemicam resulted in setting up the Nemicam Antelope Park. Since then the antelope have increased to about 20,000 in Alberta and southwestern Saskatchewan and there has been a short open season for some years.

This year, wild ducks saw so much water from the melting snows of southern Alberta and southwestern Saskatchewan that they didn't go north in their usual numbers. They stayed on the southern prairies and settled down to raise families. And big ones, too. The duck season was short with a limit of bag this year so to give the duck population a chance to come back. Alberta's once great Hungarian partridge population is away down, too, due to hard winters in the late '30s, two bad hatching seasons in 1945 and 1946 and the natural cycle which at times decimates their numbers. There may be no open season on Hungarians this fall.

Prarie chicken, the pinnated grouse of South Alberta, once almost a pest, have all but disappeared, and there has been no open season on them for some years. They're a great game bird but the one-way plow and the combine have driven them into the foothills. Their place is being taken to some extent by the imported pheasant.

Pingnecks do well in south Alberta, and especially in the irrigated districts where willows along the ditches present good cover. The Brooks Irrigation area is the mecca of pheasant hunters, but big irrigation projects around Lethbridge show a steadily increasing population of these great game birds.

Fish and game associations, and there is one in nearly every south Alberta town and city, are doing a lot to conserve south Alberta's game and are the first to suggest closed seasons when necessary. To the members of these associations there's no allure to equal a man and his dog in the Indian summer sun of the fall shooting season.—By H. G. Long in Lethbridge Herald.



TEACHER SLUGGED—Mabelle Dunkin, 20, teacher of Glenan, Ont., says "I was hit by something and the next thing I knew it wasn't last night at all. It was this afternoon and I was lying in a ditch." She walked the 22 miles from the spot near Harrison, Ont., after she regained consciousness.

DON'T RUN OVER MY LITTLE GIRL!

Phil Branniff in the following letter, which appeared in the Tulsa World, gives a compelling argument for safe driving and safe thinking:

Today my daughter, who is seven years old, started off to school as usual. She wore a dark blue dress with a white collar. She had on black shoes and wore blue gloves. Her cocker-spaniel, whose name is "Scot", sat on the front porch and whined his canine belief in the folly of education as she waved "goodbye" and started off to the halls of learning.

Tonight we talked about school. She told me about the girl who sits in front of her—the girl with the yellow curls—and the boy across the aisle who makes funny faces. She told me about her friend who has eyes in the back of her head—and about the trees in the school yard—and about the big girl who doesn't believe in Santa Claus. We talked about a lot of things—tremendously vital unimportant things; then we studied spelling, reading and arithmetic—and then to bed.

She's back there now—back in the nursery—sound asleep, with "Princess Elizabeth" (that's a doll) cuddled in her right arm. You guys wouldn't hurt her, would you? You see, I'm her daddy. When her doll is broken, or her finger is cut, or her head gets bumped, I can fix it—but when she starts across the street, then she's in your hands.

She's a nice kid. She can run like a deer and dart about like a chipmunk. She likes to ride horses and swim and bike with me on Sunday afternoons. But I can't be with her all the time—I have to work to pay for her clothes and her education. So—please drive slowly past the schools and intersections—and remember that children run from behind parked cars.

Please don't run over my little girl.

—Phil Branniff.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS

BRIEFLY TOLD

The King has accepted the position of Air Commodore-in-Chief of the R.A.F. Regiment.

The University of New Hampshire is looking for a hardy peach that will grow in temperatures as low as 20 degrees below zero.

Jet-propelled fighter planes are to be adopted by The Netherlands Air Force to replace out-of-date Spitfires, an official report said.

The King and Queen and Princess Elizabeth each are to adopt a leper child for whose medical care and education they will be responsible.

Author of "Shoulder to Shoulder", the marching song of the Canadian Women's Army Corps in World War II, Leo J. Walsh died recently in Toronto.

Forest fires damaged more than 1,335,930 acres of Alaskan timber land this year, with a loss exceeding \$1,500,000, Interior Secretary James Krug reports.

Canada's foreign trade during August totalled \$429,400,000, compared with \$466,400,000 in July, and \$409,200,000 in August, 1946, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported.

Plans for a new atomic chain reactor pile at Oak Ridge, Tenn., "several times more powerful" than the one now operating were announced by the Atomic Energy Commission.

Sweepstakes Bookies Warned By Post Office Department

OTTAWA.—Sweepstakes bookies better head for cover—the post office department, has started a drive to run them out of the mail.

W. J. Turnbull, deputy postmaster general, said that postal authorities across Canada had seized between 15,000 and 14,000 receipts headed for purchasers of tickets on the Cambridgebridge Handicap sweepstakes which brought fortunes to some Canadians. He warned that persons persisting in selling lottery tickets via the Royal Mail would have their mail stopped.

Commenting on a report from Toronto that several persons there had failed to receive receipts from this last Irish sweepstakes, Mr. Turnbull declared that seizures would be "intensified" until the use of the mails for these purposes was stopped.

"The use of the post office for lotteries is illegal and has been for years," he said. "During the war there was no trouble as there were no lotteries, but now it's starting all over again...and if we find receipts for tickets in the mail we seize them."

No action is being taken against the individual buying a ticket, but it's the person who sells them the post office department is after.

PROVED GREAT SUCCESS
ABERDEEN, Scotland. The experimental helicopter mail service which each day carried 200 pounds of mail to and from the King during his stay at Balmoral Castle, was described in official circles as an outstanding success.

ANCIENT SHIP FOUND

ARSON, Switzerland.—Low water in Lake Constance here resulted in the discovery of an ancient ship on the bottom of the lake. Oak wood, the craft presumably was a cargo boat, but the period of its use has not been determined.

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Atomic Control Vital

World Long Way From Pushbutton Warfare, Says Gen. McNaughton

ATLANTIC, Ont. — Although there is no known physical defence against atomic war, the world is "a long way from the pushbutton type of warfare described in the sensational magazines," Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton said here. Canadian representative on the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission, he pulled no punches as he described the awful havoc of a future atomic war in an address prepared for delivery to the University of Toronto Engineering Society at this post-war campus community 20 miles east of Toronto.

However, he said, there was no need to "fear its outbreak on any significant scale for a while yet," and expressed optimism that international control of the atom bomb still could be found through the U.N., despite the reluctance of Russia to agree with other nations on its control.

Atomic bombs, each several thousand times more powerful, weightier, than ordinary high explosive bombs, could be sent against other countries in any of these three ways:

1. By guided missile or crewless aircraft. The former at present has a range of only a few hundred miles, limiting the immediate possibility of "pushbutton" war, but this range might well be increased within a few decades to several thousands of miles. Crewless aircraft, on the other hand, because of their ability to fly at great heights at high speeds, would be almost immune to known methods of enemy interference.

2. By manned aircraft of the larger bomber class. These posed a difficult defence problem because it would take a long time for a defence rocket or fighter plane to rise to 40,000 feet.

3. By submarines and other carriers, or saboteurs who would place bombs with delay fuses in position by stealth. There would be great difficulties in establishing any really effective defence against this because their secret placement is much less difficult than ordinary high explosive, where volume and weight were factors.

The world must accept the thesis that "there is no physical defence against atomic war."

The atomic bomb, equivalent in the elementary model used at Hiroshima and Nagasaki to 20,000 tons of TNT, could be increased in power and "latest types may be much more powerful."

Even worse in its effects than the airburst bomb was the bomb exploded under water as at Bikini.

"In this case about 10,000,000 tons of water contaminated with the radioactive products of the explosion were blown up into the air," he said. "This spray may travel downwind for several miles and wherever it falls the resulting radiation may persist for years at such a strength that human beings could not remain within the area and survive."

For example, if one bomb, or several, were set off in nearby Toronto harbor, they would force "immediate evacuation. By immediate I mean a time interval measured in minutes and hours—not days."

Difficulties in neutralising the effects were so great that they would be "quite impracticable."

In comparison, high-explosive bombs were only temporarily effective in stopping enemy industry or defences. There was also no serious method of pre-expanding an atomic bomb.

The general, co-chairman of the Canadian-United States joint defence board, saw only two ways for the "preservation of the world":

1. To develop an international agreement "under which we may hope that all nations may come to have confidence that atomic energy will be used for peaceful purposes only."

2. That the United States, the only country now possessing the atomic bomb in quantity, be encouraged to retain for as long as possible its "paramount ascendancy" in this field.

The latter view he found "fully justified in the short-term view by considerations of expediency and practicability," while the former he termed "the most attractive."

While there remained a wide gap between the Soviet views and those of other countries, this "should not be regarded too seriously at this stage." War could not be imminent with the U.S. still well ahead of Russia in the atomic bomb development, and there was still time for agreement.

"To date we have been more anxious that the U.S. should continue to be represented in the discussions and less concerned that they would at once agree to the majority proposals," he concluded.

"I think I can claim that we have felt so convinced of the necessity for proper control and we now are so genuine in our belief as to how it must be brought about that we feel that something of this sincerity must find its way through to the people of Russia."

USEFUL GADGET

In the near future every automobile will be equipped with an electric eye to dim the lights automatically when another car approaches.

Short-hand of various types has been used for 20 centuries. 2750

Health LEAGUE presents TOPICS OF CANADA OF VITAL INTEREST

HEALTH EDUCATION USEFUL ADJUNCT TO LEGISLATION

There are many fields of public health in which legislation is necessary, but education always an essential additional factor, states Dr. Gordon Bates in an editorial in the current issue of Health, official magazine of the Health League of Canada.

Taking compulsory pasteurization of milk as an example, Dr. Bates points out that in any given area if legislation has been enforced without education, people in that particular area will expose themselves to infection by milk-borne disease when they travel in areas where there is no compulsory legislation.

"There are literally thousands of citizens living in areas in which only pasteurized milk has been sold for many years who have no idea what pasteurization is or the extent to which it has protected the lives and health of their own families," comments the editor of Health. "Such ignorant folk, on auto trips to other parts of the country will cheerfully drink milk fresh from the cow and run the risk of infecting themselves with undulant fever, tuberculosis or any milk-borne disease."

"And later, too frequently, their fellow townsmen pay the cost in form of higher hospital taxes and more funerals."

"On the other hand, well-informed citizens who have had the advantage of good public health education not only make sure that neither they nor their families drink unpasteurized milk at home or abroad; but by demanding pasteurized milk in areas where it is not available are themselves a powerful means of educating others."

The importance of education should never be forgotten whether legislation exists or not, Dr. Bates comments.

DRIED SKIM MILK

Dried skim milk is an economical source of milk proteins, calcium, phosphorus and B vitamins. It can be stored in its dried form without refrigeration.

Cider-Making In England



Most farmers in Gloucestershire, England, try their hand at cider-making. They've been doing it for centuries and their efforts have brought fame to the county. On this farm at Greeton, the farmer makes his own cider in the orchard under the apple trees. The apples are first crushed in the gasoline-driven mill, and the pulp is then placed in layers of fibre matting in the hand press. Photo at left shows loading of sacks of apples into the small mill. The hand press can be seen in the rear.

Left top: Stacking the hand press with apple pulp. Whatever the cider-makers lack in modern equipment, they make up in technique.

Above: Pressure is applied to the pulp in the fibre matting, expressing the juice.

NO TIME TO ARGUE, CARD PLAYERS DECIDED—When this position was assumed by a group of card players of a Toronto men's club, gunmen tricked them, escaped with an undetermined amount of money. A card game was in progress when four masked youths entered, ordered the players to "line up against the wall; this is a stick-up" and waved two revolvers. The players thought discretion was the better part of valor and obliged.

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NEW MEMORIAL ARENA

KELOWNA, B.C. — A Memorial Arena is to be built here at a cost of approximately \$100,000. Two years ago citizens raised \$100,000 in voluntary gifts for the project, but increased building costs made this amount insufficient. A by-law to raise the additional \$80,000 was endorsed by ratepayers.

Canada's Census Book Full Of Information

Contains Almost Everything You Want To Know

OTTAWA.—Folks, do you want to know how many cherry trees there were in Canada in 1940, or how many pounds of strawberries were picked in Riviere Du Loup, Que., in that year?

You don't? Well, if you ever do you can find the answers in the eighth volume of the 1941 census of Canada series prepared by the Dominion bureau of statistics and now ready for distribution.

In fact, you can find almost anything in the volume. It contains a wealth of information about all phases of farming in Canada. In a name of tables and figures are listed human, animal, vegetable and fruit resources.

For instance, milk lovers might be interested in knowing that Canada's milk production dropped from 13,768 in 1921 to 2,846 in 1941.

Besides giving an overall picture of Canadian farms, the 850-page volume gives a break-down of the figure by provinces and by federal electoral constituencies.

Tech break-downs include the racial origin of farmers, the number of buildings on farms, the value of farm lands, the size of mortgages, the yield from various crops, the market value of crops and similar information.

Helpful Hints

Antique silver buttons are being used on many of the better wool dresses, especially those in the grey tones.

Speaking of fur, the short furs are being used for the new three-piece shawl collars, also the Peter Pan and notched collars which will be high favorites this winter.

To save four naked open-faced pie or deep pie with only a top crust. Apples, plums, gooseberries, in fact any of the large fruits are best for the latter.

To remove acid stains from clothing, sprinkle baking soda on each side of the stain, moisten it with water, and let it stand for several minutes. When the bubbling action stops rinse the spot thoroughly.

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Hitler Did Not Want War With U.S. Until Russia's Defeat

The Fuehrer Was Confident Of Overcoming The Russians By End Of September, 1941

LONDON.—Hitler's great bluff to cover his plans and preparations for the invasion of Russia June 22, 1941, and his personal order to the German navy to shut all incidents with United States vessels in 1941 with the intention of avoiding war until after he had defeated Russia, were disclosed in the final instalment of the Admiralty's "Fuehrer Conferences."

Hitler repeatedly overruled his naval experts and postponed action on the invasion until after the late President Roosevelt had extended American "defence waters" indefinitely to the east, the report shows.

This was the seventh instalment of the Admiralty papers on "Fuehrer Conferences on Naval Affairs," based on material found in German archives captured by British and American intelligence officers during the war.

The Russo-German non-aggression pact, signed Jan. 11, 1941, merely was a cloak for Germany's preparations to attack. The German code word for the invasion was "Barbarossa." A further rush to help the plot was a great German effort to make the preparations appear to be directed against Britain.

Troop movements to the eastern front were explained by the Nazis as a deception to cover Germany's real intention of attacking the west, and every encouragement was given to popular rumors of a coming Spring invasion of Britain.

So confident was Hitler of overcoming the Russians, although he had been advised against the invasion, that he believed the "great idea"—that is, the Russian defeat—would come at the end of September, 1941.

Before the report, said of Stalin on Jan. 8 when he was making final plans for operation Barbarossa with his war chiefs: "He must be regarded as a cold-blooded black-maller. He would, if expedient, repudiate any written treaty at any time."

The report also discloses that Sir Stafford Cripps, British Economics Minister, who then was Ambassador in London, telegraphed April 24, 1941, according to the German naval attaché in the Russian capital, that Germany would attack Russia June 22.

An Admiralty editorial footnote states: "This statement is true, and the prophecy was correct."

The Fuehrer declares in detail, the report continued, "that until operation 'Barbarossa' is well under way, he is slow to avoid any inkling of the U.S.A. After a few weeks the situation will become clearer and can be expected to have a favorable effect on the U.S.A. and Japan."

"America will have less inclination to enter the war, due to the threat from Japan which will then increase. If possible, the effort in the next few weeks all attacks on naval vessels in the closed area should cease, especially since in the past few months such attacks have been exceptions in any case."

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Sweden Sending Ethiopia Light Bombers

STOCKHOLM.—Sixteen Swedish-built light bombers have left Sweden for Ethiopia. The bombers, discarded from the Swedish air force, constituted the first delivery of military aircraft ever made by Sweden to another country.

Smile of the Week—

It Served Them Purpose

Jimmy had returned from a party, and his mother, knowing his weakness, looked him straight in the eye and asked:

"Are you sure you didn't ask Mrs. Smith for a second piece of cake?"

To which he replied:

"No, mother, I only asked her for the recipe, so you could make some like it, and she gave me two more pieces of her own accord."

THE SPORT WORLD

"The 1947-48 Dominion curl championships will definitely be held at Mt. Norquay at Banff, Feb. 25 to 29," Bob Kold, president of the Calgary ski club, announced.

Winnipeg.—Bob Sandberg, triple-threat fullback of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers, has been awarded the Jeff Nicklin Memorial trophy, as the player most valuable to his team in the Western Football conference. Billy Wuyuk of Calgary was last year's winner.

Regina.—Benny Balch, the boy from Weekes, Sask., who gained fame at the Pacific coast, made his Regina ring debut an impressive one as he scored a comfortable live-round decision over Benny Sipola of Saskatoon, the provincial novice welterweight champion.

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Making Atomic Weapons Not Canada's Role

Canadian Efforts Are For Peaceful Purposes, Says Atomic Scientist

CHICAGO. — Dr. George C. Laurence, Canadian atomic scientist, said in an article that "the production of atomic weapons is beyond Canada's industrial resources."

Dr. Laurence, in charge of one of the divisions of experimentation at Chalk River, Ont., Canadian atomic research centre, added that since the United States entered the second world war, technical discussion on atomic energy between the two countries has been restricted exclusively to basic physics.

In an article in the bulletin of the atomic scientists, he said:

"Canada has not received from the United States any engineering information or 'know how' nor any information related to the production of atomic bombs."

The engineering design of the Chalk River plant and the methods used there for extracting plutonium, a material used in one kind of atomic bomb, were developed in Canada independently, he said, adding:

"Canada's atomic energy project is directing its efforts towards the extension of basic scientific knowledge, the training of young scientists, and the development of the applications of atomic energy for peaceful purposes for the benefit of mankind."

Canada's contribution to the atomic bomb produced in the United States is in the extraction of the uranium compounds from uranium ore and in supplying uranium from its mines, he added.

Cartoonist Has Overcome Handicap

Lost Both Arms But Does Remarkable Work

The German painter and cartoonist, Carl Fischer, who lost both his arms as the result of an Allied air raid on his native town of Fulda, is going to Rome this winter to exhibit an exhibition of his work—all of it done with a pencil and brush held between his teeth.

Before the war Carl Fischer was one of the ablest cartoonists in Germany. He worked chiefly for the newspapers, but also specialized in book illustrations. He was working on a series of drawings for a new edition of Cervantes at the time of his wounding.

Fischer says that after a period of black despair and hopelessness, he suddenly recalled the phrase of Raphael: "If there is no other way, paint even without hands."

Fischer interpreted this advice literally. He began to draw holding a pencil with his teeth. He practiced this method for three months, working over and over on a lion's head, which he finally sent to a friend, drawn on a black postcard.

Since then Carl Fischer has drawn almost a hundred pictures. He has regained his place in the book illustrating world and has been commissioned to do a series of drawings for children's books.

He has already given an exhibit of his work in Fulda.

THIS AUTOMOBILE HAS REALLY DELUXE MODEL

Howard A. Darrin, American-born creator of luxury cars for the wealthy of three continents, has sold cars for from \$6,000 to \$45,000, Martin Simon writes in *Esquire*. The \$43,000 car, she says, had gold-plated fixtures and trim, heavier robes, and was upholstered in broadcloth and carpeted in leather. Darrin installed two Swiss clocks and two vanity cases of solid gold. In the partition behind the chauffeur were a medicine chest, a bar and a writing desk. The trunk was equipped with tool-leather cases.

Sir Walter Raleigh is credited with introducing mahogany into England, presenting Queen Elizabeth with a table of wood he had found in the New World.

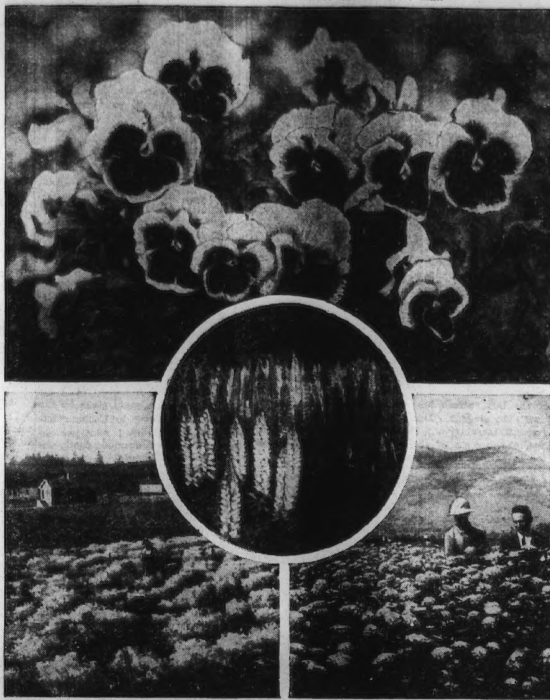
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RULES OF THE CHATEAU D'IF

FREEDOM CAN BE OBTAINED IF YOU WORK HARDER. IF YOU SAVE MORE. IF YOU USE LESS FUEL. IF YOU DO AS YOU'RE TOLD. IF YOU CAN GET OUT BY YOURSELF.

BUSINESS IN SEEDS

Over two million dollars worth of seeds were marketed from B.C. in 1946 and while the estimates for 1947 are down somewhat, officials are optimistic that the industry will level off at well over pre-war production. The peak year for vegetable seed production, which accounts for half the seed revenue was 1945, when it amounted to almost one and a half million dollars. Before the war, most of the vegetable and flower seeds were grown on contract for Britain. Now they are sold chiefly in Canada and the U.S.A. Of course, it is no secret that many of the seeds grown on contract for Britain in pre-war days were packaged and sent back for sale in Canada and the U.S.A. under English names. There are about 150 to 200 acres in flower seeds in British Columbia and most of it grown on contract for two or three local firms who sell directly to the new markets which they have developed. Control of insects is one of the persistent chores in production of seed, but DDT has helped to overcome that.



Top: Fancy seed has been the leader in flower seed production in British Columbia but now competes with portulaca for top place at a value of about \$40,000. Bottom left: Cauliflower seed from Vancouver Island brought \$15 to \$20 during the war years but has slipped to a steeper price of \$5 or \$6 this year. Bottom right: The manager of a large seed contracting firm together with a grower inspect a carrot seed crop in the Grand Forks district. Inset: Russel Lupine blooms on the farm of the late George Robinson on Vancouver Island.

Locksmith Sworn In As Special Police Before Opening Safe

MOOSE JAW, Sask. — When a Moose Jaw man purchased 20 locks from surplus military supplies recently he stood to make a fair profit on the transaction if he could get them open.

He immediately called in Louis Ouellette, 55-year-old locksmith, who specializes in opening safes—legally—with nothing more dangerous than a paper and pencil.

Ouellette has never tried detective techniques of safe-cracking—such as rubbing the fingers with sandpaper. The probable result of that, he said, would be sore fingers.

He first finds the number of dials in the lock by checking the clicks as he spins the knob. Then, using a system of combinations he has worked out, he patiently turns the knob until the lock opens. Sometimes it takes 20 minutes—sometimes 30 hours.

One of his most interesting jobs was opening a Moose Jaw police department vault that had been locked for years. He was sworn in as a special constable before he did it.

The moose safe he ever opened took only two tries—then the door fell off.

To remove acid stains from clothing, sprinkle baking soda on each side of the stain, moisten it with water, and let it stand for several minutes. When the bubbling action stops, rinse the spot thoroughly.

FIFTY-MILLION-YEAR-OLD MYSTERY ABOUT FLIES HAS NOW BEEN SOLVED

NEW YORK. — With motion pictures taken at the rate of 3,000 exposures a second and shown in slow motion, the Sperry Gyroscope Company and the Museum of Natural History combined interests to solve a mystery at least 50 million years old—the question of how a fly flies.

The first successful motion pictures of a fly in flight were taken by Henry M. Lester, a commercial photographer, and shown publicly at the museum. They revealed that a fly beats its wings 300 times per second in an action similar to that by which a boat is sculled with a single oar. The trailing portion of the wing flexes up and down. Further, the movies showed that a fly keeps its balance with a pair of beating rods—known to entomologists as halteres—that move in the same rhythm as the wings but in opposite directions.

Flies have been doing this for quite a while, according to museum officials, who exhibited a piece of amber in which a fly had been preserved. The amber was between 90,000 and 200,000 years old, they said.

The Sperry Gyroscope Company's interest in the question of how a fly flies stems from their interest in its method of maintaining equilibrium in flight, a subject on which the company has spent a great deal of time in developing devices for the control of ships and aircraft. The museum's interest was represented by Dr. C. H. Curran, Curator of Insects and Spiders, who is known as one of the world's leading experts on flies.

LOTS OF TOYS BUT FEW CHRISTMAS DOLLS

The hot weather of last summer not only reduced the American corn crop but also its doll crop. Prolonged heat, combined with high humidity, kept the composition dolls from "setting" properly and cut production almost to zero at times. There are about 15 per cent. fewer such dolls than last year, and a scarcity on the Christmas shelves seems inevitable. Other toys will be on hand in dazzling abundance and variety. The industry predicted that paper and manna would be able to choose from \$250,000,000 worth of toys by the time the Santa Claus takes their stands in the stores.

Some scientists believe the tortoise to be the most intelligent of reptiles.

"UNTIMED" DEER ATTACKS FARMER, INFLECTS WOUNDS

HESTON, Man. — The cliché addicts can discard the one which says "timid as a deer". Joseph Green, farmer of this southwestern Manitoba district, nursed a deep wound in his leg suffered while he attempted to beat off a young buck deer which attacked him while he was at work in his fields.

RAPESEED OIL

Rapeseed, which is grown fairly extensively in Saskatchewan and also in Manitoba, is processed into oil for industrial and edible purposes. During the war it was found to be an excellent substitute for the scarce castor oil as a lubricant for marine engines, and was used extensively by the Royal Canadian Navy.

TRAIN MAY PICK UP FOOD FOR BRITAIN ACROSS CONTINENT

As A Symbol Of Canada's Determination To Help The Severely Rationed People Of The British Isles

VANCOUVER.—The cheery whoop of a train whistle may soon be echoing across Canada from Victoria to Halifax as the symbol of the Dominion's determination to aid the rationed people of Britain with food parcels.

At least that is the hope of an enthusiastic group of Vancouver residents who have launched an all-out campaign to organize a Canadian "Friendship" train to carry much needed food to the British Isles. The idea, stemming from a similar plan to be undertaken in the United States, is to have the train start from Victoria or Vancouver with one or more food-laden freight cars. Then it would pick up others all the way to the Atlantic seaboard.

The scheme has met such enthusiastic support in Vancouver that its backers now feel confident that not one, but two trains, will soon start rolling from the Pacific towards the east—one travelling over the Canadian Pacific Railway line, the other over the more northerly Canadian National line.

Among those who have offered their whole-hearted support are acting Mayor Charles Jones of Vancouver, Thomas Bradwood, president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, church leaders of all denominations and various men's and women's clubs and organizations.

"It is a very fine idea for those people certainly need food," was the comment of Mrs. Olga J. Knight, president of the Women's Canadian Club here, as she urged full support of the scheme. Her organization is already sending 50 parcels monthly to individuals in Europe.

Contents of the box cars? Well B.C. hopes to have food parcels of all descriptions—large and small. Supporters say there will be apples, meat, poultry, grain and numerous other commodities being shipped eastward from Britain within a few weeks.

Chickens Pay In Manitoba Farm Scheme

STEINBACH, Man.—Farmers who aren't employed in the poultry business around this district are scarce. "It's a work of an old phrase—than hen's teeth. Menomites form most of the population and this 'large-scale poultry area of Manitoba' is easily maintaining its reputation.

Specialized agriculture is the vogue here. Large land holdings are in the minority, farmers going in for poultry production in the main, although sugar beets, sunflower seeds and potatoes also are grown.

But Steinbach is one of the main reasons why the net poultry production of the province grew from a value of \$2,866,000 in 1933 to \$16,861,000 last year.

Specialization has gone so far that in one store, farmers don't have to carry their eggs. The eggs are placed on a conveyor belt and whisked to a rear shipping room. Machines that automatically grade eggs as to weight and stamp each one with a blue "Canada" are in operation and after being stored are moved out to trucks on another conveyor.

Hatching eggs, as well as selling them, is big-time business and is a reason why the province stands second only to Ontario in hatching chicks from approved flocks. Turkey raising is common with output large enough to make agriculture authorities feel confident there will be enough turkeys this year.

The entire industry is inspected by government officers who see that birds are disease-free and produce is up to government standards.

LARGE INCREASE OVER LAST YEAR IN NEW CARS

OTTAWA. — Although a goodly number of persons still are grumbling about not being able to obtain new cars, there have been a lot of satisfied customers this year.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported that during the first nine months of the year 160,838 new vehicles were sold for \$283,408,881, a large jump over the same period last year when 82,594 units sold for \$129,656,903.

Pick Up Police Calls From Victoria

ST. CATHARINES, Ont.—The St. Catharines police radio system is having a little trouble. Atmospheric conditions or some other phenomena of nature cause the Victoria, B.C., police calls to come in clearly on the morning there is considerable static and the two widely separated cities are causing no little mix-up.

Both police forces call their cruisers by number and frequently a St. Catharines cruiser will answer when a call is placed for a Victoria squad car and vice versa. Early in the morning there is considerable static and the St. Catharines receiver in the police station crackles and growls unless the receiver is transferred to the telephone set. Around 11 o'clock the static fades out and from then till nearly 6 the two cities can hear each other clearly.

It is only in the autumn that this happens. Last year when two Victoria officers were in the city seeking a suspect, they were able to talk to their home city over the local system. Normally the set only has a range of 15 miles and to be heard so distinctly in Victoria is one of those unexplained happenings that make radio so interesting.

But the department of transport, which controls the airwaves, frowns on any conversations between the two so they get along as best they can for the few weeks that the mix-up lasts.

PROSPECTS ARE GOOD FOR WINTER TRAPPING

THE P.A.S. Man.—Prospects of a good winter beaver trapping season in Central and Northern Manitoba districts and of a boom in muskrat trappings in the spring were seen here by game officials. They said foxes and weasles were abundant in the territory around Pukatawagan, about 30 miles north of Sherridon, in Northern Manitoba, and that a good catch is almost certain.

One economist points out that what's wrong with this postwar era is that there are more people than ever before employed but fewer doing a day's work.



PRINCESS IN BRITAIN FOR STUDIES—Princess Ashraf, twin sister of the Shah of Persia, in Britain to study children's homes and nursing, wears an unusual hat on her visit to Dr. Barnardo's Garden City.

World Long Way From Pushbutton Warfare, Says Gen. McNaughton

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NEW MEMORIAL ARENA
KELOWNA, B.C. — A Memorial

KELOWNA, B.C. — A Memorial Arena is to be built here at a cost of approximately \$180,000. Two years ago citizens raised \$100,000 in voluntary gifts for the project, but increased building costs made this amount insufficient. A by-law to raise the additional \$80,000 was endorsed by ratepayers.

Hitler Did Not Want War With U.S. Until Russia's Defeat

It was the opinion of the historians, that had forced first to say in 1939 before the

At a conference July 9 Grand Admiral Erich Raeder, Commander-in-

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then buckle on his skis and trek for home, more than 2,000 miles away. His plan is to traverse the northern section of the country, passing well above Edmonton and coming down to Ontario in a sweeping arc across

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OH, WHAT FUN IT IS TO RIDE IN A ONE-MULE OPEN BUGGY— Slowly but surely "Tony" Gambacort and bride, the former Florence Jonette, were carried through the main streets of Brantford, Ont., following their marriage in this one-mule powered conveyance. The taximan bridegroom usually has a speedier vehicle.



INTENT ON DRAFTING EISENHOWER—Though "Ike" Eisenhower has not announced his intention to run for presidency of the U.S., associations have sprung up across the country with the slogan: "Draft Eisenhower for President". Peggy Frebault, secretary of a Washington club urging "Ike's" nomination, shows some of the posters and buttons already distributed as part of the publicity drive.



FIGHTS REVOLT—Sir Hari Singh, ruler of the independent state of Kashmir, in northern India, has appealed to the Hindoo government in New Delhi for support in quelling an uprising of the Moslems among his 4,000,000 subjects. Aid given by the Hindoo government to Kashmir authorities has strained relations between the newly-formed dominions of Pakistan and India.



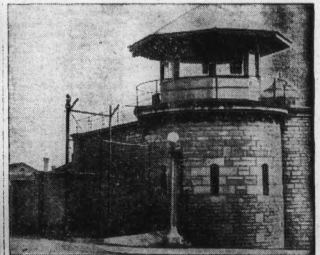
BURMESE PRIME MINISTER IN LONDON—Ebullient young Thakin Nu, Burmese prime minister, gesticulates eagerly as he chats to members of the fourth estate in the Burma office on a London, England, visit.



CREW PREPARES TO SALVAGE CARGO—This is not the latest twist in watery beer. This heavy transport truck, rolling along the highway that skirts a river two miles west of Marysville, Ontario, suddenly overturned. The vehicle was loaded with beer. Another truck was dispatched to the spot, and here the crew is seen preparing to salvage the cargo from the bed of the flowing stream.



HONEYMOON LUGGAGE—11 TRUNKS—After a wedding that cost \$250,000 in Seville, Spain, the Duke and Duchess of Montoro are en route to the U.S. Here they are at Northolt, England. Their honeymoon luggage consisted of 11 trunks.



BULLETS FOIL KINGSTON JAIL BREAK—Kingston penitentiary was the scene of another attempted jail break recently. From this tower guards fired on two prisoners attempting to scale the prison wall after they had bound a guard and forced other prisoners into a refrigerator. The two prisoners gave up when shots were fired.



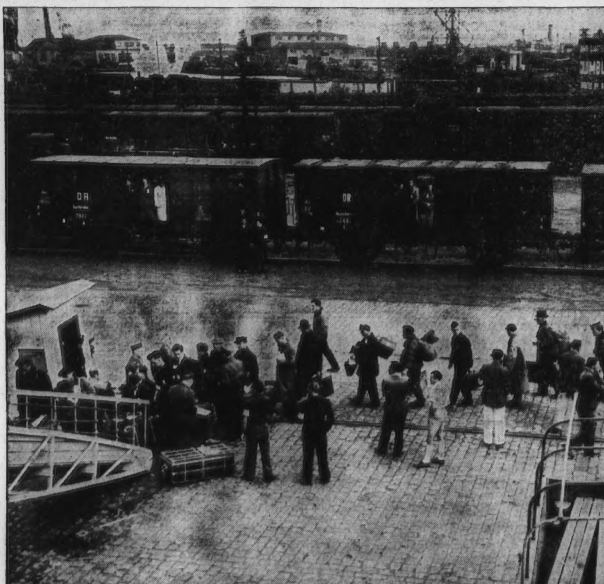
SHIVERED WHILE ROBBERS
ROBBED—A hooded gunman locked Casey Kozlarski, 27, watchman for Toronto restaurant, in a freezer, smashed open the safe and stole \$6,000. Kozlarski, lightly clad, shivered in the refrigerator for five hours before a milkman heard him pounding and released him.



ACCIDENTALLY SHOT—Shot through the heart, Delores Smith, 18, Six Nations Indian girl, was accidentally killed, near Sour Springs, Ont., when a rifle in the hands of a neighbor who was going hunting discharged. After investigating, Crown Attorney F. E. D. Wallace of Brant county said no charges would be laid and no inquest would be held.



SCALPED BY MACHINE—Irene Salvisburg, 27, had her hair and scalp sewn back on a half-hour after it was torn from her head. Her hair caught in a potato-peeling machine at the Steel Co. of Canada's canteen recently. Her scalp was left behind when she was rushed to hospital, but a telephone call brought it to the operating room.



BY BOX CAR, TO SHIP, TO CANADA—Box car loads of homeless Europeans from displaced persons camps are seen after "screening" by the Canadian government commission at wharf in Bremerhaven, Germany. Those selected are en route to Canada to work in forests and as domestics. The long queue is passing inspection and going up gangplank of the transport Gen. M. B. Stewart.



PRESIDENT ELIZABETH PRESENTS PRIZE—Allen Loveday, a violinist from New Zealand, received the Tabor gold medal award from Princess Elizabeth at the Royal College of Music in London recently. The princess is president of the college.



LINER PRINCESS CHRISTENED—Sliding down the ways at Belfast, Ireland, is the 28,500-ton liner Edinburgh Castle, which was christened by Princess Margaret recently. It marked the first unaccompanied ceremony at which the princess officiated.

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

LAZY BOY

By I. de La Torre

His sneaker, raising puffs of dust, Billy raced down the path to the lake. Now he stopped, snatched an overhanging branch and clung to it, gasping for breath. After a backward glance satisfied in that the little white schoolhouse no longer showed through the trees, he jerked up his black trousers and shuffled on.

"School!" he mumbled to himself. "I'm sick of it! And if Ma puts on any more crying acts when I talk about quitting, it just ain't going to do her any good. I could fake my age and join the Navy to see the— Nah! too much orders to take. Maybe I'll just drift around, free like a kite."

Now that his future was so promptly settled, Billy looked around for something to attract his immediate interest. A thin column of smoke rising from the clearing caught his eye.

"Funny time for anybody to have a fire on the beach," he told himself and dashed across. The two men crouching over the fire turned around as Billy approached. Both wore shabby clothes, and their faces looked as if untouched by water or razor for weeks.

"You—you tramps?" Billy blurted. The two men looked at each other and the one sitting on an overturned lard can answered.

"Yeah, were bums. What you doin' here? Ain't yuh supposed to be in school?"

"Sure. Just taking a vacation today," and Billy grinned, pleased with his wit.

The big man who had just spoken picked up a twig, snapped it, and threw it on the fire.

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THERMOGENE RUB

Coach Of Canada's Olympic Hockey Team



(R.C.A.F. Photo)

George "Buck" Boucher, coach of Canada's Olympic hockey team, to be selected from members of the R.C.A.F., talks matters over with his son Corporal Frank Boucher in Ottawa's Auditorium before beginning a practice session. George will select the team and coach them while in Canada, and Frank will take over coaching duties when the team leaves for Switzerland. George Boucher played professional hockey in Ottawa, Montreal, Chicago and St. Louis. Last year he came out of retirement to take over the coaching of the Ottawa Senators. Frank played professional hockey in Philadelphia and Providence before joining the R.C.A.F. in 1941.

SELECTED RECIPES

ORANGE CUP CAKES
2½ cups sifted cake flour
2½ teaspoons baking powder
¼ teaspoon salt
1½ cups grated orange rind
½ cup butter or other shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs, well beaten
¾ cup milk

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Add orange rind to butter and cream well. Add sugar gradually and cream together until light and fluffy. Add eggs and beat well. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Turn into greased small cup-cake pans. Bake in moderate oven (375 deg. F.) 15 minutes, or until done. Cool. Frost with Orange Butter Frosting. Makes 3½ dozen.

BUCKWHEAT CAKES
2 cups buckwheat flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon soda
1½ teaspoons salt
2 tablespoons sugar
2 eggs, well beaten
4 cups (1 qt.) sour milk or buttermilk

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, soda, salt, and sugar, and sift together into bowl. Combine eggs and milk and add to flour mixture. Add shortening. Turn mix only enough to dampen flour. Bake on hot, greased griddle. Serve at once on warm plates with butter and syrup, or honey. Makes about 2 dozen griddlecakes.

ELIGIBLE FOR MEDALS
OTTAWA.—A very small number of Canadian servicemen who stayed around the battle areas clearing up the dangerous debris of war will be eligible for the award of the Naval General Service Medal and the General Service Medal (army and air force) defence headquarters announced.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

GRATITUDE
Gratitude is much more than a verbal expression of thanks. Action expresses more gratitude than speech. —Mary Baker Eddy.

Is not that the trust gratitude which strives to widen the horizon of human happiness and to make our fellows sharers in that which has gladdened us? —H. C. Potter.

It is another's fault if he is ungrateful, but it is mine if I do not give. To find one thankful man, I will oblige a great many that are not so. —Seneca.

A man of a grumbling spirit may eat a very poor dinner from silver plate, while one with a grateful heart may feast upon a crust. —E. P. Brown.

Our thanks should be as fervent for mercies received as our petitions for mercies sought. —Charles Simmons.

Cicero calls gratitude the mother of virtue, the most capital of all duties, and uses the words grateful and good as synonymous terms, inseparably united in the same character. —Bate.

TRAINS IN SWEDEN

STOCKHOLM—New express trains, capable of 78 miles an hour and consisting of three streamlined coaches with a modern buffet counter instead of dining car, will be added to the Swedish State Railways at intervals of one a month. 2730

Government Plans New Department

Designed To Make Full Use Of The Vast Natural Resources Of Canada

OTTAWA.—A sweeping national development program, perhaps the greatest in Canada's history and designed to make full use of her vast natural resources in the field of manufacture, is expected to stem from creation of a new department now said to be planned by the administration.

First news of the planned new department came from a source close to the cabinet who said it would be forecast in the speech from the throne at the opening of parliament.

It would replace the reconstruction department now complete; post-war rehabilitation activities and the source said it would be headed by Reconstruction Minister Howe, the man who guided the Dominion supply for war and moulded the framework of her post-war reconversion.

Main job of the new department, the source said, would be to map a long-term program for development of Canada's natural resources with particular attention to making the Dominion more self-sufficient in vital iron and steel, in curtailing waste in industry and in encouraging manufacture of Canadian products instead of exporting them in raw form.

Paper currency was used in China in the 13th century.

Using Hat Pins Against Bag-Snatchers

JOHANNESBURG.—Many women are using hatpins again—not for fashion, but as protection against bag-snatchers and other types of criminals who prowl the streets at night. They are carrying them in their handbags.

Here are points of advice given by the wife of a policeman to women who have to go out at night:

Always be conscious that you are exposed to danger. If accosted run up on the nearest porch and ring the bell. Walk by the curb to increase vision. Don't carry a purse with a swinging motion. Better still, carry your needs in a small purse which fits into a pocket. Scream "like mad" if you are attacked.

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—By Chuck Thurston

PEGGY
PEGGY, HOW DID YOU LIKE THIS BOOK?
JEES, POP, I'VE BEEN TOO BUSY TO READ IT!
I'M ON THE GIRLS' SOFTBALL TEAM, THE DEBATE TEAM, AND PLAYING IN THE BAND.
YOU SHOULD STAY HOME ONCE IN A WHILE AND READ THESE THINGS.
AFTER ALL, I BROUGHT THIS FROM THE LIBRARY ESPECIALLY TO HELP YOU AND IT'S DUE TOMORROW.
SORRY, POP, I'VE A DATE TONIGHT—I'LL HAVE TO SKIP IT!
WHAT'S THIS BOOK YOU'RE SO ANNOYED FOR PEGGY TO READ?
HOW TO GET THE MOST OUT OF YOUR YOUTH!

—By Les Carroll

THE TILLERS
I ASKED MARY TO SEW A BUTTON ON MY COAT AND SHE DIDN'T DO IT, AND HUNK DIDN'T FIX THE PUMP LUBE I TOLD HIM TO, AND JABBER NEVER DOES WHAT I TELL HIM TO! I MIGHT AS WELL GO TO FENCE POSTS!
DOGGONIT, WE'LL LEAVE IT! I CAN'T UNDERSTAND PEOPLE NOWADAYS!
WHY, PAINT YOU'RE ALL ALONE! I THOUGHT I HEARD YOU TALKING IN HERE—WHO WERE YOU TALKING TO?
MYSELF.
I'M THE ONLY PERSON WHO EVER PAYS ANY ATTENTION TO ME WHEN I TALK!

New Alta. Salt Company

Alberta's new independent salt plant now under construction at Elk Point, some 20 miles south-east of St. Paul, is well on the way to completion, states M. M. Porter of Calgary, president of the recently formed company. The company's independence of companies expands their activities to develop another natural resource in the West. The three companies are Anglo-Canadian Oil Co. Ltd. with head office in Calgary; and the C. and E. Corporation, with head office in Winnipeg. All are western companies, actively operating in the West and concentrating their activities in developing the West.

Through the enterprise of these three companies, which instead of disposing of their properties to outside interests, chose to develop them, the west for the first time now has its own wholly Western-owned, Western-managed salt supply.

Heading the new Alberta Salt Co. Ltd. is M. M. Porter of Calgary who was recently elected president of the Board of Directors. Other members of the Board are H. R. Milner, Edmonton; J. G. Spratt, Calgary; L. D. M. Baxter, Winnipeg; J. P. Macmillan, Winnipeg; E. Gerald Hanson, Montreal and J. R. Donald, Montreal.



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Through this wholly owned subsidiary, two salt wells have already been completed at the plant. Also three natural gas wells. And the main building, the power unit, and the salt evaporation plant are practically completed. These buildings are of steel and brick construction. The salt evaporation plant being three stories, with a two-story extension. This is the building in which the brine, pumped from Company wells, will pass through the various stages of evaporation. By scientific control and regulation of these stages the Company will produce a complete line, from fine free flowing table salt to the coarsest salts for farm and industrial use. Also salt blocks for livestock both plain and iodized salts will be produced.

The Company's huge salt resources lie between 2,500 and 4,000 feet below the surface. They comprise three beds of solid salt over 1,000 feet in total thickness.

Discovery of these deposits followed extensive geological investigations. Searching and test-drilling operations were finally concentrated on these areas where if salt were discovered it could be produced at low cost. This necessitated an abundance of low cost fuel and water as well. All were found at the plant location near Elk Point.

The salt itself lies close enough to the surface to be recovered at exceedingly low cost. Above the salt, extensive supplies of natural gas, already tapped by the Company's three wells, lie approximately 10 thousand feet from the surface.

Nearby is the inexhaustible supply of water in the North Saskatchewan River. Distributing facilities to cities and farming areas of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba as well as British Columbia through to the Pacific coast are offered by a branch line of the Canadian National Railway running right past the door of the plant.

Nowhere else in Canada are the factors for the economical production of salt so favorable as those found at this point which lies approximately 140 miles northwest of Edmonton.

In many parts of the world salt is mined like coal. In others it is cut from the surface beds in the same manner as ice is cut from frozen rivers and lakes in winter. The cleanest salt, however, is considered to come through salt wells such as those of this new Alberta Industry located at Elk Point.

By this method water from the North Saskatchewan will be pumped down the wells, dissolving the salt at the bottom. The resulting brine is forced to the surface through an inner casing running up through the centre of the well. The brine flows into huge vats. In these vats the water is completely evaporated and any impurities run off leaving only the pure crystal salt.

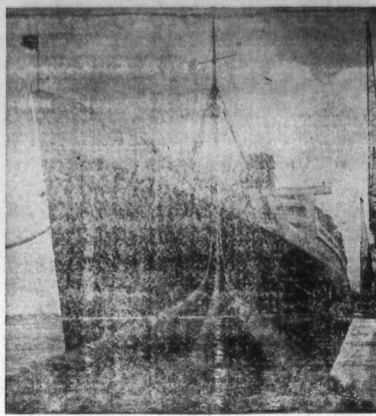
The rated capacity of the plant will be 125 tons per day. It will require a staff of about 40 full-time employees. G. L. Williams, who has had extensive experience in salt processing and marketing in the east is the manager of the new plant. Production is expected to commence early in the new year.

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Now I've just read a bright comment Put out by the government Of every dollar that you're paid Thirty five cents comes from foreign trade."

This set me to scratching my grey hairs To doubt the statement I don't dare But this I'll say to their comments My daily income's thirty cents.

"QUEEN MARY" BACK TO ATLANTIC SERVICE



An army of tradesmen skilled in every known craft were hard at work during the spring and early summer of this year, preparing the giant Cunard White Star liner, "Queen Mary", for her post-war maiden voyage on the Atlantic service on July 31, after her war years as a troop carrier. This picture shows the "Queen Mary" alongside Southampton docks in her peace-time garb.

Someone's holding out to me I get news from Canada you can see And when the daily settlement's made Someone's grabbed a nickel of my foreign trade.

In the Silence, did they stand Straight and young, close by your side Could you see a cross, in a distant land.

To mark the place of one who died? Could you feel the warm close comradeship That in the dark hour led you through

And see the last black moment slip That passed the Torch to you?

Could you see the filthy, shell wrecked trench The rusted evil mass of wire The shell blast and the feld stench

The debris and the tottering spire? The gallant ship that sank in darkness The last sad call of homeless men.

The shattered plane, low borne in distress And feel what bond held you to them? Did They stand by you again in Silence

These comrades, of all arms and Service In the Silence did you meet once more Could you tell them that the Torch was glowing That the world remembered still their going The purpose and the fearful price?

THE EMPIRE BUILDER

He sat beside the dust road A little shabby, old and grey, Till a big car tooted sweetly and slowed And a friendly voice said "Going my way" Riding along he seemed to know Roads and towns, spread near and far His talk explaining why it was so To the driver of the speeding car

"When I came to the west it was long ago Its little I had but a bride, But we made for ourselves a home Just a week ago she died So I'm on my way to our second son His boys lost in this war Our first and third never did return From the one so long before

Some of the granddaughters joined up too So I'll help to carry on For I've known this land since it was new And it's jonesome when someone's gone I mind the hardships and the joys Of the early days here in the west The price we had in our girls and boys The homestead days and all the rest

He paused for the radio stuttered news Of the passing of some great man Telling how his fortune grew "Financier, Empire Builder" it ran The old man sighed "That'll be a sad blow

The country will miss him true. He was and Empire Builder — and he didn't know That he was an Empire Builder too.

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